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**Response Due Date**  
**12/18/2012**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00439661

REFERENCE: AMENDED JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (04/01/2012 - 06/30/2012),  
RECEIVED 10/14/2012

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following item:

- Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions that appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act (see attached).

The Commission notes the redesignation or reattribution of several contributions. Please amend your report to disclose the proper format for redesignations or reattributions. The first entry must disclose, as a memo entry, the information for the contribution as it was originally reported; the second entry must disclose, as a memo entry, the information as it has been redesignated or reattributed, including the date the redesignation or reattribution was made. (11 CFR § 104.8(d)(2), (3), and (4)) Please refer to the Campaign Guide for Congressional Candidates and Committees for further guidance on how to report redesignations and reattributions. Please be advised that incorrect reporting of redesignations or reattributions may result in excessive or impermissible contributions.

An individual or a political committee other than an authorized committee or a qualified multi-candidate committee may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$2,500 per election. An authorized committee may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$2,000 per election. A qualified multi-candidate committee and all affiliated committees may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election. The term "contribution" includes any